tonight we can't get approval from the majority that this is a finite list. I really do not understand that. I hope it is just some clerical problem or some Senator who maybe couldn't be contacted. But I hope after all we have been through that we would have an agreement tomorrow on a finite list of amendments on this most important

I say that we are trying to help. We understand. I spoke to the two leaders today. As soon as we complete this bill, we will go to the energy and water appropriations bill, which is an extremely important bill. It is a \$25 billion bill which is all nondiscretionary money. It is money to fund the nuclear weapons program in addition to many other very important programs that are important around our country, including the Bureau of Reclamation, the Corps of Engineers, and other multibilliondollar programs.

I hope we can move forward and conclude this legislation. It seems rather strange, as far as I am concerned, that the minority is talking about moving an appropriations bill, but that is the wav it is.

We have said all week that we have one issue that we had to vote on next week for obvious reasons. We have to have four Democratic Senators who are running for President. We want to make sure they are all here. That has been recognized by Senator Specter and by the majority leader. We had a tentative time set up to do that.

I hope before we adjourn tomorrow that we can get the agreement that has been prepared by both staffs. I think it would move toward concluding this legislation. But also I think it sets the proper tone for what is going to be a most difficult remaining legislative session this year.

I have no objection to the request by the Senator from Alabama.

The PRESIDING OFFICER. Without objection, it is so ordered.

Mr. SESSIONS. Madam President, I note that Senator Specter certainly has been working our side to get that agreement. Without dispute, there will certainly be far fewer amendments pursued to vote on from the Democratic side. But that is all right. I know the Senator is close to having that done. I thank the Senator for working his side.

PROGRAM

Mr. SESSIONS. Madam President, for the information of all Senators, tomorrow the Senate will resume debate on the Labor-HHS-Education appropriations bill. At approximately 9:30 a.m., the Senate will begin two backto-back rollcall votes. The first vote will be in relation to the Clinton amendment on bioterrorism workforce, which will be immediately followed by a vote in relation to the Harkin amendment on school renovation. Following those votes, Members are encouraged to remain in the Chamber to offer and debate their amendments. The chairman and ranking member will be here to accommodate those Members who are available to offer amendments tomorrow.

ADJOURNMENT UNTIL 9:15 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. SESSIONS. Madam President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in adjournment under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 8:20 p.m., adjourned until Friday, September 5, 2003, at 9:15 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate September 4, 2003:

IN THE AIR FORCE

THE FOLLOWING NAMED OFFICERS FOR APPOINTMENT TO THE GRADE INDICATED IN THE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE AND FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT UNDER TITLE 10. U.S.C., SECTIONS 624 AND 531:

To be major

STEPHEN W. HUMPHREY, 0000 DAVID B. ROYAL, 0000 RANDY J. YOVANOVICH, 0000

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To be major

NELSON * ARROYO, 0000 KENNETH R. * BEALE, 0000 DONNETTE A. * BOYD, 0000 BILL * BURRELL, 0000 HENRY E. * CLOSE III, 0000 MARK A. * CRUMPTON, 0000 MICHAEL L. * DANIEL, 0000 SHANE C. * GASTER, 0000 GLENN A. * HAWKINS, 0000 GASTON L. * JONES JR., 0000 GASTON L. * JONES JR., 0000 DAVID L. * MANSBERGER, 0000 SHON * NEYLAND, 0000 MICHAEL S. * RASH, 0000 WARREN K. * ROBINSON, 0000 SCOTT L. * RUMMAGE, 0000 PAUL D. * SUTTER, 0000

JAMES J. * BALDOCK IV, 0000

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JAMES J. * BALDOCK IV, 0000
WENDY L. BARNES, 0000
DAVID M. * BERTHE, 0000
JOHN R. * BROOKS, 0000
KENNETH S. * BROWN, 0000
RICHARD T. * BROYER, 0000
SHELLIR. * CANNONDEKREEK, 0000
MELISA L. * CARINO, 0000
MELISSA L. * CHECOTAH, 0000
JASON D. * EITUTIS, 0000
PATRICIA D. * FOWLER, 0000
SABINA C. * GARETT, 0000
JOUGLAS A. * GIMLICH, 0000
JOHN F. * GINNITY JR., 0000
JOHN F. * GINNITY JR., 0000
JERRY A. * HARVEY, 0000
RICHARD T. * HAWK, 0000
NEITH A. * HIGLEY, 0000
KEITH A. * HIGLEY, 0000
CAMILLE R. * LOONG
CAMILLE R. * LOONEY, 0000
PATRICK A. * MARTINEZ, 0000
RATHAK A. * MEERSMAN, 0000
MARK R. * MEERSMAN, 0000
MICHAEL C. * MENESES, 0000
SEAN P. * MURPHY, 0000
MICHAEL A. * NIELSEN, 0000
MICHAEL C. * ORR, 0000
ROBERT M. * PAZ, 0000
KATHY * PFLANZ, 0000
ROBERT M. * PAZ, 0000
KATHY * PFLANZ, 0000
KEVIN S. * SMITH, 0000
MICHAEL C. * SORR, 0000
ROBERT M. * PAZ, 0000
KATHY * PFLANZ, 0000
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KATHY * SSPANN, 0000
MICHAEL S. * SMITH, 0000
KEVIN S. * SMITH, 0000
KEVIN S. * SSMITH, 0000
KEVIN S. * SSMITH, 0000
KEVIN J. WATSON, 0000
THOMAS E. * WILLIFORD, 0000 KEVIN J. WATSON, 0000 THOMAS E. * WILLIFORD, 0000 BRIAN K. * WYRICK, 0000

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FORCE AND FOR REGULAR APPOINTMENT (IDENTIFIED BY AN ASTERISK (*)) UNDER TITLE 10, U.S.C., SECTIONS 624 AND 531:

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KIMBERLY L. * ARNAO, 0000 BRIAN L. * BENGS, 0000 SCOTT D. * BOEHNE, 0000 JANE E. * BOOMER, 0000 JANE E. * BUOMER, 0000
THERESA A. * BRUNO, 0000
JOSHUA T. * BURGESS, 0000
THOMAS E. * BYRON, 0000
JOHN A. CARR, 0000
OLGA M. * CORNELL, 0000 DOUGLAS F. * CRABTREE, 0000 RICHARD L. * DASHIELL, 0000 JOSEPH F. * DENE, 0000 CHAD L. * DIEDERICH, 0000 CHAD L. * DIEDERICH, 0000
PATRICK D. * DYSON, 0000
GINA M. * EAKER, 0000
JAMES S. * FLANDERS, 0000
MICHAEL J. * FREYERMUTH, 0000
GLEN L. * FUNKHOUSER JR., 0000
STEPHEN P. * GANTER, 0000
ROBERT M. * GERLEMAN, 0000
JOHN E. * GILLILAND, 0000
EDWARD D. * GRAY, 0000
MOISETTE INTONYA * GREEN, 0000
TOMMY E. GREGORY, 0000 TOMMY E. GREGORY, 0000 STEVEN J. * GROCKI, 0000 JAMES J. * GROSS, 0000 ROBERT S. * HALL, 0000 KATHLEEN J. HARTMAN, 0000 MARTIN A. * HOFFMAN, 0000 JULIE J. R. * HUYGEN, 0000 JOSEPH S. IMBURGIA, 0000 KIMBERLY M. * JOHNSON, 0000 STEVEN M. * KELSO, 0000 RICHARD H. LADUE JR., 0000 LUCAS J. * LANDRENEAU, 0000 BRADFORD U. * LARSON, 0000 MICHELLE M. * LINDO, 0000 TERESA G. * LOVE, 0000 MICHELLE M.* LINDO, 0000
TERESA G. * LOVE, 0000
DEBRA A. LUKER, 0000
ROBERT E. * LUTTRELL III, 0000
JENNIFER KLEIN * MARTWICK, 0000
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CHRISTOPHER * MCMAHON, 0000
CAREY A. * MERRILL, 0000
MARK A. * MICCHIO, 0000
SERGIO C. MUNIZ JR., 0000
THANH LAN BICH * NGUYEN, 0000
CHRISTOPHER J. * NOWICKI, 0000
MYNDA L. G. * OHMAN, 0000
BRUCE D. * PAGE JR., 0000
JOSEPH P. * PIAZZA, 0000
LYNDELL M. * POWELL, 0000
SLOAN M. P. * PYE, 0000
KATHLEEN V. E. * REDER, 0000
ERICA L. * RICHARDSON, 0000
LACHANDRA C. * RICHARDSON, 0000
RICHARD W. * ROCKENBACH II, 0000
ANGELA P. * ROSE, 0000
KENNETH W. * SACHOLS, 0000
STEPHEN E. * SEE, 0000
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DARRYN N. * BRYANT, 0000
DANE V. * CAMPBELL, 0000
BRETT R. * CARNER, 0000
LISA L. * CAULDER, 0000
CARLOS M. * CEBOLLERO, 0000
JOHN D. CHILDS, 0000
CHRISTOPHER D. * CLINE, 0000
LAMES P. * COKER 0000 JAMES R. * COKER, 0000 BRIAN L. * COSTELLO, 0000 ANTHONY S. * CUNNINGHAM, 0000 JAMES P. * CZARZASTY, 0000 LORA * DARBOPIETSZAK, 0000 AMIE W. * DARYANANI, 0000 JAMES A. * DAUBER, 0000 BRYAN TERRI * DAVIS, 0000 BRYAN TERRI* DAVIS, 0000
DONALD P.* DORENKAMP, 0000
TAM T.* DUONG, 0000
DAVID O.* EDDINGTON, 0000
DAVID R.* ENGLERT, 0000
FRANK M.* FISCHER, 0000
GABRIEL P.* FLORIT, 0000
KRISTINE F.* FUMIA, 0000